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1. The Titovka River, northwest of Lake Chapr (Tschapr), is eight meters wide and one meter deep. The current is swift, but it can be crossed with a horse-drawn cart.
2. The northeastern part of Lake Shulgul (N68-58, E31-37) is about three to four meters wide and one foot deep, with a gravel bottom.
3. The Pelb River, south of Lake Pelb, is about four to five meters wide and two feet deep.
4. The stream running from the southern tip of Lake Shovna is about three to four meters wide and can be forded on foot, as it is about two feet deep.
5. The Litza River in the area northwest of Lake Pon varies between 12 and 30 meters in width. The current is slow and in most places the river is deep.
6. The Lebyazhka River, northwest of Lake Pon, is about ten meters wide and is shallow enough to ford on foot.

Comment: The mixed terminology of meters and feet is as reported.

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